

CITY OF WORCESTER

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Tuesday, November 17, 2026
Esther Howland (South) Chamber
5:00 P.M.

MAYOR

Joseph M. Petty

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairperson Tony Economou

Vice Chairperson Satya B Mitra

Councilor John P Fresolo



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1. Virtual Attendee Call-In Information/Important Notice to Residents

- a. Pursuant to Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021 and in order to ensure active, public engagement, the City of Worcester currently allows for both in-person and remote participation at all City Council and Standing Committee meetings. To partake in the meeting, you may attend the meeting in-person within the meeting location, follow the below link to join via Zoom or dial the direct line as indicated. If you join a Zoom meeting by dialing in with a phone number, you can raise your hand by dialing *9.

Public Works Committee Zoom Link: <https://worcesterma.zoomgov.com/j/1615992759>

Public Works Committee Zoom Phone Number: +1 646 828 7666

Public Works Committee Zoom Access Code: 161 599 2759

- b. Important Notice: Residents are advised of an ongoing scam involving the impersonation of city officials and departments. Scammers are fraudulently requesting payments be made for planning and zoning permits, as well as City Council petitions. All official emails regarding your petition will come exclusively from an @worcesterma.gov email address (such as clerk@worcesterma.gov), or via physical mail on the City of Worcester's official letterhead. Any legitimate hearing letter will always include your specific application details, along with the scheduled hearing date, time, and location. The City of Worcester will never request payments via wire transfer.

2. Approval of the Minutes

- a. Order - That the City Council Standing Committee on Public Works hereby approves the minutes of the Public Works Committee meeting on October 7, 2026.

3. Construct Sidewalk Petitions

- a. Councilor Jose A. Rivera request sidewalk installation on Clover St. between Heard St. and Pine View Ave.
9f CC March 10, 2026
- b. Julie Goering request installation of a sidewalk on Clover St. from Mohawk Ave. to Heard St.
7b CC February 4, 2025
- c. Julie Goering request sidewalk extension on Clover St. from Mohawk Ave. to Heard St.
8f CC October 12, 2022
- d. Councilor Etel Haxhiaj request installation of sidewalks along the length of Heard St., and for a continuation of sidewalks from Pine View Ave. to Clover St., with a cost estimate for said installations.
8c CC June 27, 2023

4. Honorary Street Name Petitions

- a. Councilor Khrystian E. King and Councilor Robert A. Bilotta request Laurel St. from Summer St. to Everett Gaylord Blvd. be given the honorary street name designation of Arries Ann Ward Way.
8b CC September 22, 2026
- b. Councilor Khrystian E. King and Councilor Luis A. Ojeda on behalf of Mayra Callahan request Hancock St. from Main St. to Hollis St. be given the honorary street name designation of Juana and Daniel Candelario Way.
10u CC September 8, 2026
- c. Mayor Joseph M. Petty and Councilor Luis A. Ojeda request Piedmont St. from Jaques Ave. to Davis St. be given the honorary street name designation of Meanes "Moe" Mooradian Way.
10x CC September 8, 2026

5. Guardrail Petitions

- a. Rich Perry request installation of a guardrail at 101 Plantation St. located at the intersection of Blecker St. and Plantation St.
7c CC September 29, 2026

- b. Tonya Gaston request the wall at the dead end of Ingalls St. be torn down and replaced with a guardrail.

8g CC July 15, 2025

In Committee September 24, 2025 - Held

6. Sewer and Water Main Extension Petitions

- a. Asaad Challab request sewer extension of approximately eighty-five (85) feet for 72A and 72B Arlington St.

8a CC October 13, 2026

- b. Donald J. O'Neil, Attorney, on behalf of Tiffany Nguyen request extension, at the expense of the petitioner, the combined sewer main in Henchman St. from its current terminus, near the vicinity of Moen St. and Henchman St., easterly a distance of approximately 146 feet to provide sewer service to the petitioner's properties located at 1 Frederick St. and 114 Lincoln St.

8p CC August 18, 2026

- c. Donald J. O'Neil, Attorney, on behalf of Tiffany Nguyen request extension, at the expense of the petitioner, the combined sewer main in Henchman St. from its current terminus, near the vicinity of the intersection of Moen St. and Henchman St., easterly a distance of approximately 40' to provide sewer service to the petitioner's land.

7a CC January 27, 2026

7. Streetlight Petitions

- a. Councilor Jose A. Rivera on behalf of Rosemary McCarthy request installation of a streetlight at the intersection of Circuit Ave. East and Ferdinand St.

10m CC September 8, 2026

- b. Councilor Jose A. Rivera on behalf of Sheila Loughnane request removal of the streetlight in the vicinity of 10 Ware St.

8q CC August 18, 2026

8. Sidewalk Repair Petitions

- a. Councilor Robert A. Bilotta request the sidewalk on the southern side of Temple St. be repaired.

10l CC September 8, 2026

- b. Councilor Khrystian E. King request sidewalk repair on Rowena St.

10p CC September 8, 2026

- c. Councilor Khrystian E. King request sidewalk repair on Brandon Rd.
10n CC September 8, 2026
- d. Idella Hazard request sidewalk resurfacing in front of 75 Providence St.
8u CC August 18, 2026
- e. Vilson Castelo Branco request sidewalk repairs on Norfolk St. from Suffolk St. to Groton Pl.
9h CC August 18, 2026
- f. Councilor Jose A. Rivera on behalf of Bill Metterville request sidewalk repair in front of Worcester State University, located at 486 Chandler St.
7h CC July 21, 2026
- g. Lawrence O. Freed request sidewalk repair on Mill St. from 503-505 Mill St. to Logan Field, located at 539 Mill St.
7l CC July 21, 2026
- h. Councilor Robert A. Bilotta request the sidewalk in the vicinity of the crosswalk at the Bell Hill Basketball Court, located at 184 Belmont St., be widened.
6h CC April 14, 2026

9. Street Resurfacing Petition

- a. Councilor Khrystian E. King request Brandon Rd. be resurfaced.
10o CC September 8, 2026
- b. Wilson Navarro Dominquez et al. request Riley St. be resurfaced.
10q CC September 8, 2026
- c. Julie Ann Lamacchia request the sinkhole located in front of 35 Arbutus Rd. be repaired.
10r CC September 8, 2026
- d. William Walsh request Healy Rd. be resurfaced.
10s CC September 8, 2026
- e. Councilor Satya B. Mitra on behalf of Amy and Chad Thibodeaux request Hancock Hill Rd. from Forest St. to Ardmore Rd. be resurfaced.
10t CC September 8, 2026
- f. Councilor Satya B. Mitra request Marconi Rd. be resurfaced.
8s CC August 18, 2026

- g.** Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of Daniel Bradley request Laconia Rd. be resurfaced.
8f CC August 18, 2026
- h.** Aleise M. Matheson request Barry Rd. from Lynnwood Ln. to Barry Rd. Ext. be resurfaced
7c CC June 16, 2026
- i.** Councilor John P. Fresolo request street resurfacing on Epworth St.
20e CC June 2, 2026
- j.** Carlos Burgos request Whitmarsh Ave. be resurfaced.
14h CC April 28, 2026

10. Miscellaneous Petitions

- a.** Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of the residents of the Winter Heights Neighborhood request the granite survey markers that stick out of the sidewalks, some six to nine inches high, be cut down to pavement level, in the interest of public safety.
8a CC September 22, 2026
- b.** Councilor Robert A. Bilotta request the southern portion of the fencing at Harrington Field Playground, located at 720 Franklin St., be extended to improve safety at the location.
10k CC September 8, 2026
- c.** Julie Ann Lamacchia request review of the sidewalk on the western side of Burncoat St. between Arbutus Rd. and Rollinson Rd. to explore any warranty provisions and pursue any corrective action that can be taken with the contractor, given the installation of said sidewalk was in Fall of 2024.
8f CC March 17, 2026

In Committee April 28, 2026 - Held

In Committee June 30, 2026 - Held

In Committee September 14, 2026 - Held